

## Birds Activities for Monday

### On the Move

#### Pin the Feathers on the Bird

Birds need their feathers, for lots of reasons. Help put the feathers back where they belong.

Materials:

- Clear contact paper
- Marker
- Feathers

Instructions:

1. Stick a large piece of contact paper to an open wall, space on the floor, or to a window/glass door.
2. Draw a large bird shape using a marker on the contact paper.
3. Provide your child with the feathers and have them stick as many as they can to the bird.

### Adventures Online

#### What is a Bird?

Learn about all the different types of birds & their various characteristics like feathers, wings and a beak.

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=8JwLDaFoVfE>

### Sensory Time

#### Bird Watch Adventure

Bird watching is a great way to fuel the senses. What else can you find?

Materials:

- 2 toilet paper tubes/1 paper towel tube cut in half
- Glue/tape
- Crayons/markers/paint
- Paper
- Yarn/string
- Scissors

Instructions:

1. Color or paint the toilet paper tubes.
2. Glue or tape the two toilet paper tubes together to form binoculars.
3. Add yarn or string to help your child wear the binoculars.
4. Head outdoors and have your child hunt for birds using their binoculars.
5. Talk with your child about the birds they see and what else they see during their bird watching adventure.

## Story Time

### **Birds**

Birds come in all sizes, shapes, and colors. Birds are everywhere. If you listen very carefully & look closely, you will see and hear them no matter where you are.

Read Aloud: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=8Xrti-oaJHI&feature=youtu.be>

## Arts and Creativity

### **Birds by My Hand**

Have fun making a bird out of your own two hands.

Materials:

- Construction paper/white paper
- Crayons/markers
- Scissors
- Glue

Instructions:

1. Trace your toddlers hand overlapping one hand over the other hand.
2. Cut out both hands together & do not separate the hands
3. Decorate your bird and use the fingers as the bird's feathers & wings.
4. Using the construction paper or white paper, cut out the beak and eyes and place them on the bird.